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TITLE OF INVENTION: WASHING MACHINE CAPABLE OF MEASURING SURFACE PROPERTIES OF LIQUIDS, AND PROCESS FOR DETECTING SUCH SURFACE PROPERTIES

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